**Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax** 

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)

OMB No. 1545-0047

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements.

Open to Public Inspection

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В	Check i applica	f Please use IRS		D Employer id	lentifi	ication number		
	Add	ress label or Tanata Coma Tanata						
	Nam	e type. Doing Business As		4	1-0	950742		
	lnitia retur	Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address)	Room/suite					
	Term ated	Instruct E201 MARQUETTE AVENUE	310			338-7584		
L	Ame	n   """   City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4		G Gross receipts \$		5,702,142.		
L	Appl tion pend			H(a) Is this a gr	oup r			
	роле	F Name and address of principal officer:DANIEL W. JOHNSON SAME AS C ABOVE		for affiliate	affiliates? Yes X No			
_			cluded? Yes No					
		(empt status: X 501(c) ( 6 ) ◀ (insert no.) 4947(a)(1) or 527		1		list. (see instructions)		
		ite: WWW.MNFAIRPLAN.ORG	T	H(c) Group exe				
	orm c	of organization: X Corporation Trust Association Other ►  Summary	L Year	of formation: 19	6 9 N	State of legal domicile; MN		
	1	Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: PROV	The TM	CIIDANCE	E O D	DDODEDMY		
Activities & Governance	١.	OWNERS WHEN INSURANCE IS NOT AVAILABLE I	N AULII	NUMBER WY	NO 1	mg PROPERTI		
nar	2	Check this box if the organization discontinued its operations or dispo						
Ver	3			: IIIaii 2570 Oi ils	1 1	9		
Ğ	4	Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)				9		
တ္	5	Total number of employees (Part V, line 2a)		******************	5	18		
Vitie	6	Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	**************	*****************	6	0		
Cti	7a	Total gross unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	••••••••		7a	Û.		
4	b	Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34			7b	0.		
Revenue				Prior Year		Current Year		
	8	Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)			10			
	9	Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)		5,907,42		5,527,328.		
ě	10	Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)		306,60		166,480.		
-	11	Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)		29,793.				
_	12	Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)		6,243,82		5,702,142.		
		Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)		166,00	00.	185,000.		
	14	Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)		4 400 64		4 4 8 6 6 4 8		
Expenses		Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)		1,123,61	L7.	1,183,568.		
ĕ		Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)				,		
Ä		Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25)		4 670 C	71	2 502 445		
	17	Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24f)		4,672,67 5,962,28	/ L •	3,783,445.		
		Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)		281,53		5,152,013. 550,129.		
-SS	19	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12		inning of Current	_			
ets (	20	Total assets (Part X, line 16)		10,800,61		End of Year 11,325,960.		
ASS	21	Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)		3,704,80		3,677,332.		
Net Assets or Fund Balances	22	Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20		7,095,81		7,648,628.		
Pa	rt II	Signature Block		.,,		.,5.0.,0200		
		Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules an and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has a	d statements, a	nd to the best of my kr	nowledg	ge and belief, it is true, correct,		
		and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all illionination of which preparer has a	ny knowledge.					
Sign	1							
Her	9	Signature of officer		Date				
		DANIEL W. JOHNSON, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR						
		Type or print name and title						
Paid		Preparer's Sunce m. Delson, CPA Date	/ Che		Prepare (see ins	er's identifying number structions)		
Prep	arer's			loyed 🕨 🔲				
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address, and								
	AL - 1-	ZIP+4 ST. PAUL, MN 55113		Phone no.	<b>▶</b> 6:	51-483-4521 X Ves No		
May	the II	RS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions)				IA Voe No		

) (Revenue \$

4d Other program services. (Describe in Schedule O.)

including grants of \$

(Expenses \$

## Form 990 (2009) MINNESOTA FAIR PLAN Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

			Yes	No
1	Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)?			
0	If "Yes," complete Schedule A	1		X
2	Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors?	2		<u> </u>
J	Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I	١.		x
4	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II	4	-	N/A
5	Section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), and 501(c)(6) organizations. Is the organization subject to the section 6033(e) notice and	4		IIV/A
·	reporting requirement and proxy tax? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III	5		х
6	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts where donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I			x
7	Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space,	6		
•	the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II.	7		x
8	Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? If "Yes," complete	<u>                                     </u>		<del>  ^`</del>
	Schedule D, Part III	8		x
9	Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21; serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X; or provide	۲		
	credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV	9		x
10	Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in term, permanent, or quasi-endowments?	H		
	If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V	10		x
11	Is the organization's answer to any of the following questions "Yes"? If so, complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VIII, IX, or X			
	as applicable	11	Х	
•	Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? If "Yes," complete Schedule D,		917	NEW Y
	Part VI.	100		
•	Did the organization report an amount for investments - other securities in Part X, line 12 that is 5% or more of its total		-315	
	assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII.			
•	Did the organization report an amount for investments - program related in Part X, line 13 that is 5% or more of its total			
	assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII.			
•	Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX.			
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•	Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses			
	the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X.			
12	Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," complete			
	Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII.	12		Х
12A	Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year?  Yes No			
	If "Yes," completing Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII is optional		les de	
13	Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E	13		X
14a	Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?	14a		X
b	Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business,			
	and program service activities outside the United States? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part I	14b		X
15	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or assistance to any organization			
	or entity located outside the United States? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part II	15		X
16	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or assistance to individuals			
	located outside the United States? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part III	16		_X_
17	Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX,			
	column (A), lines 6 and 11e? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I	17		<u> </u>
18	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines			
40	1c and 8a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II	18		<u>X</u>
19	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? If "Yes,"			v
20	complete Schedule G, Part III	19	_	<u>X</u> -
20	Did the organization operate one or more hospitals? If "Yes," complete Schedule H	20   Form 9	200 /2	X X

## Form 990 (2009) MINNESOTA FAIR PLA Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

21	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to governments and organizations in the		Yes	No
	United States on Part IX, column (A), line 1? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II	21	x	
22	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to individuals in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 2? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III	22		x
23	Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the organization's current	_	_	
	and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? If "Yes," complete Schedule J	23		x
<b>2</b> 4a	Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the			
	last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No", go to line 25	24a		x
b	Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?	24b		
	Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease			
	any tax-exempt bonds?N/A	24c		
d	Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?	24d		
25a	Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I N/A	25a		
b	Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and			
	that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I	25b		
26	Was a loan to or by a current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, highly compensated employee, or disqualified			
	person outstanding as of the end of the organization's tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II	26		X
27	Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial			
	contributor, or a grant selection committee member, or to a person related to such an individual? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III	27		Х
28	Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties, (see Schedule L, Part IV			
	instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions):		9	
а	A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28a		X
b	A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28b		X
C	An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee of the organization (or a family member) was			
	an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28c		X
29	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M	29		X
30	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M	30		х
31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations?			
	If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I	31		X
32	Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II	32		x
33	Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I	33		х
34	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity?  If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Parts II, III, IV, and V, line 1	34		x
35	Is any related organization a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?  If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	35		x
36	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization?	33	_	
	If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	36		
37	Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization			
	and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI	37		Х
38	Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11 and 19?			
	Note. All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O.	38	x	
			200 (2	

		2( (2	-	Yes	No
1	a Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096, Annual Summary and Transmittal of				
	U.S. Information Returns. Enter ·0· if not applicable		2	23	
	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable		0		
•	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and			9000	
	(gambling) winnings to prize winners?	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	. 1c	Х	
2	Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements,				1850
	filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return		8		
1	o If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax retu		. 2b	X	
	Note. If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file this return. (see		1800		
	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year cover		_		X
			.   3b	$\vdash$	_
48	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other		1		٦,
	financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial	account)?	. 4a		X
t	of If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country:		.		
	See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign	Bank and			
-	Financial Accounts.				v
	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?				X
l.	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter trans- If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T, Disclosure by Tax-Exempt Entity Rega		5b		
		-			
60	Tax Shelter Transaction?  Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did to	be eveniunting collect	5c		
Oa			6-		х
	any contributions that were not tax deductible?  If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contribu		6a		A
		~	- Ch		
7	were not tax deductible?  Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).  N/A		6b		
a	The state of the s	goods and services		2000	
u	provided to the payor?	<del>-</del>	7a	ı	
b	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?		7b		
	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it w		10		
	to file Form 8282?		7c		
d	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year		100	215	
	Did the organization, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a p		18 N		
	benefit contract?		7e		
f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit conti	ract?	7f		
g	For all contributions of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?				
h	For contributions of cars, boats, airplanes, and other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-0				
8	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds and section 509(a)(3) supporting or		O REI		
	supporting organization, or a donor advised fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have exc	ess business holdings			
	at any time during the year? N/A	***************************************	8		
9	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds. N/A				
а	Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?		9a		
b	Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?		9b		
10	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter: N/A				
а	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12	10a	1500	188	
b	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities	10b	Page 1		
11	Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter: N/A				
а	Gross income from members or shareholders	11a			
þ	Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against				
	amounts due or received from them.)	11b			
	Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form		12a		
b	If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year N/A	12b		200	
			Form	990 (2	2009)

Form 990 (2009) Part VI Governance, Management, and Disclosure For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a "No" response to line 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions.

000	tion A. Governing Body and Management			lv	L
1a	Enter the number of voting members of the governing body	<sub>1a</sub>	9	Yes	No
b	Enter the number of voting members that are independent	1b	9		
2	Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship				100
	officer, director, trustee, or key employee?	•	2	10 10000000	X
3	Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the	e direct supervision	-		
	of officers, directors or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person?		3		x
4	Did the organization make any significant changes to its organizational documents since the prior For			X	Ë
5	Did the organization become aware during the year of a material diversion of the organization's asset			† <del></del>	Х
6	Does the organization have members or stockholders?	***************************************	6	X	
7a	Does the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who may elect one or more me	mbers of the	. –		
	governing body?		7a	x	
b	Are any decisions of the governing body subject to approval by members, stockholders, or other per	sons?	7b	X	
8	Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken			12.50	M. C.
	by the following:		114		
а	The governing body?		8a	X	
b	Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?		8b	Х	
9	Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be read	ched at the			
	organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O		. 9		Х
Sec	tion B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Re	evenue Code.)		*	
		***		Yes	No
10a	Does the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?		10a		X
b	If "Yes," does the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such of	chapters, affiliates,			
	and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with those of the organization?		10b		
11	Has the organization provided a copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before fill	ing the form?	11	X	
11A	Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990.				
12a	Does the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13		12a	X	
b	Are officers, directors or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that cou	ld give rise			
	to conflicts?		12b	X	
C	Does the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "	Yes," describe			
	in Schedule O how this is done	*******************************	12c		X
13	Does the organization have a written whistleblower policy?		13	X	
14	Does the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?		14	X	
15	Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval	by independent	450	4 104	1197
	persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision?			ij	
а	The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official		15a	X	
b	Other officers or key employees of the organization		15b	X	
	If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O. (See instructions.)				
	Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangem	ent with a			
	taxable entity during the year?		16a		X
	If "Yes," has the organization adopted a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluation				
	in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and taken steps to safeguard the organization of the control o			george.	
Soot	exempt status with respect to such arrangements? ion C. Disclosure		16b		
	List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed NONE				
	Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T	(5U1(c)(3)s only) availab	e for		
	public inspection. Indicate how you make these available. Check all that apply.  X Own website Another's website X Upon request				
10					
	Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how), the organization makes its governing documents, co	nflict of interest policy,	and fina	ncial	
	statements available to the public.				
	State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and THE ORGANIZATION - 612-338-7584		ation:		
	1201 MARQUETTE AV STE 310, MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55403-4	1425			

## Part VIII Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors

## Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

1a Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year. Use Schedule J-2 if additional space is needed.

- List all of the organization's current officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation. Enter 0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid.
  - List all of the organization's current key employees. See instructions for definition of "key employee."

Check this box if the organization did not compensate any current officer, director, or trustee.

- List the organization's five current highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee, or key employee) who received reportable compensation (Box 5 of Form W-2 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's former officers, key employees, and highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's former directors or trustees that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.

List persons in the following order: individual trustees or directors; institutional trustees; officers; key employees; highest compensated employees; and former such persons.

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average	(C) Position						(D) Reportable	(E) Reportable	(F) Estimated
	hours per week	Individual trustee or director			that	Highest compensated employee		compensation from	compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
RENEE TOMATZ CHAIR	1.00	x		x				0.	0.	0.
JAMES MELCHIOR VICE CHAIR		x		x				0.	0.	0.
ROGER OOMS TREASURER	1.00	х		х				0.	0.	0.
TERREL MADSEN SECRETARY ALEXANDER MCKINNEY III	1.00	x		х				0.	0.	0.
DIRECTOR DANIEL K. JOHNSON	1.00	х					L	0.	0.	0.
DIRECTOR DAN SCHNEEMAN	1.00	х						0.	0.	0.
DIRECTOR	1.00	х						0.	0.	0.
VICKY RIZZOLO DIRECTOR	1.00	x						0.	0.	0.
EDWARD PRIESTER DIRECTOR	1.00	x						0.	0.	0.
DANIEL W. JOHNSON EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	45.00			Х				129,183.	0.	19,604.
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Part VII Section A. Officer	s, Directors, Truste	es, Key Er	nplo	yee	s, a	nd I	High	est	Compensated Employ	ees (continued)		
(A)		(B)	(C)						(D)	(E)		(F)
Name and title	'	Average hours	Position (check all that apply						Reportable	Reportable	. 1	Estimated
		per week	r director	onal trustee	Officer		Highest compensated Complement Co		compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MIS		amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
			4									
											-	
											-	
			4		4						_	
1b Total									129,183.		0.	19,604.
2 Total number of individuals	(including but not lin							o re				
compensation from the org	anization >		_	_		_		_				Yes No
3 Did the organization list any line 1a? If "Yes," complete									ighest compensated em	•	20	3 X
4 For any individual listed on and related organizations g	line 1a, is the sum o reater than \$150,00	f reportable 0? <i>If "Yes,</i> "	e cor	mpe	nsa	tion	and	oth	er compensation from t	he organization		4 X
5 Did any person listed on lin	e 1a receive or accru	ue compen	satic	on fr	om a	any	unre	elate	ed organization for servi	ces rendered to		
the organization? If "Yes," of Section B. Independent Contra	actors	rior such p	erso	n								5 X
Complete this table for your the organization.	r five highest compe ONE	nsated ind	eper	nder	nt co	ontra	actor	rs th	nat received more than \$	100,000 of comp	ensati	ion from
Nam	(A) ne and business add	ress							<b>(B)</b> Description of se	ervices	Con	(C) npensation
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2 Total number of independer \$100,000 in compensation			t lim	ited	to t	hos 0		ed :	above) who received mo	ore than		
21											Eo	m 990 (2000)

8,334.

5535662.

5702142.

e Total. Add lines 11a-11d

Total revenue. See instructions.

0. 166,480.

# Form 990 (2009) MINNESOTA FAI Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses

Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete all columns.

All other organizations must complete column (A) but are not required to complete columns (B), (C), and (D).

	not include amounts reported on lines 6b, , 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising
1	Grants and other assistance to governments and		охроносо	general expenses	expenses
	organizations in the U.S. See Part IV, line 21	185,000.	4		
2	Grants and other assistance to individuals in				
	the U.S. See Part IV, line 22				
3	Grants and other assistance to governments,				
	organizations, and individuals outside the U.S.				
	See Part IV, lines 15 and 16				
4	Benefits paid to or for members				
5	Compensation of current officers, directors,				
	trustees, and key employees	150,467.			
6	Compensation not included above, to disqualified				
	persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and				
	persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)	605.000			
7	Other salaries and wages	637,323.			
8	Pension plan contributions (include section 401(k)	4.54 004			
	and section 403(b) employer contributions)	171,281.			
9	Other employee benefits	168,137.			
10	Payroll taxes	56,360.			
11	Fees for services (non-employees):				
a		00 50			
b	Legal	28,723.			
С	3	20,415.			
d	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,				
е	, ,				
f	Investment management fees	12 707			
g		13,797.			
12	Advertising and promotion	173,336.			
13	Office expenses				
14	Information technology	564,627.			
15	Royalties	74 620			
16	Occupancy	74,630. 19,159.			
17	Travel	19,159.			
18	Payments of travel or entertainment expenses				
40	for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19	Conferences, conventions, and meetings				
20	Interest				
21	Payments to affiliates  Depreciation, depletion, and amortization				
23	In a common of the common of t	12,999.			
24	Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered	14,333.			
24	above. (Expenses grouped together and labeled				
	miscellaneous may not exceed 5% of total expenses shown on line 25 below.)				
•	LOSSES & LOSS ADJ EXPEN	2,180,521.			
a h	COMMISSIONS	348,386.			
	PREMIUM TAXES	107,208.			
d	SURVEYS	67,111.			
9 P	EDUCATION	53,880.			
f	All other expenses	118,653.			
25	Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24f	5,152,013.			
26	Joint costs. Check here if following	3,232,023			-
	SOP 98-2. Complete this line only if the organization				
	reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined				
	educational campaign and fundraising solicitation				

Form 990 (2009)
Part X Balance Sheet

					(A) Beginning of year		<b>(B)</b> End of year
	1	Cash - non-interest-bearing		,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	16,065.	1	18,107.
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	10,580,846.	2	11,213,758.		
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net				3	
	4	Accounts receivable, net	********			4	
	5	Receivables from current and former officers, d			ingo!		
	1	employees, and highest compensated employe					
	1	of Schedule L		5			
	6	Receivables from other disqualified persons (as	defined u	nder section		NAC.	
		4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 49	58(c)(3)(B)	. Complete		40	
		Part II of Schedule L				6	
ts	7	Notes and loans receivable, net				7	
Assets	8	Inventories for sale or use				8	
⋖	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges				9	
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other				227	
		basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a	655,517.			
	b	Less: accumulated depreciation	10b	655,517.	0.	10c	0.
	11	Investments - publicly traded securities			11		
	12	Investments - other securities. See Part IV, line		12			
	13	Investments - program-related. See Part IV, line		13			
	14	Intangible assets		14			
	15	Other assets. See Part IV, line 11		203,707.	15	94,095.	
	16	Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equ	10,800,618.	16	11,325,960.		
	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses	316,526.	17	346,698.		
	18	Grants payable				18	_=3/4
	19	Deferred revenue			2,111,226.	19	2,043,172.
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities	, and the second	20			
es	21	Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete	Schedule D		21		
	22	Payables to current and former officers, directo	rs, trustee:	s, key employees,			
Liabilities		highest compensated employees, and disqualif	ied person	s. Complete Part II			
_		of Schedule L				22	
	23	Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrela				23	
	24	Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelate	d third par	ties		24	
	25	Other liabilities. Complete Part $\boldsymbol{X}$ of Schedule $\boldsymbol{D}$			1,277,055.	25	1,287,462.
	26	Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25			3,704,807.	26	3,677,332.
		Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check he	ere 🕨 L	and complete			
Net Assets or Fund Balances		lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.					
au	27	Unrestricted net assets				27	
Ba		Temporarily restricted net assets			28		
פ	29	Permanently restricted net assets	( T T T T T T T T T T T T T T T T T T T		29		
Ē		Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, c					
ğ N		complete lines 30 through 34.		100		9 ( )	
Set	30	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds	***************************************		0.	30	0.
AS		Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or ed			0.	31	0.
l ge		Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated in			7,095,811.	32	7,648,628.
	33	Total net assets or fund balances				33	7,648,628.
	34	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances			10,800,618.	34	11,325,960.

Form **990** (2009)

1 8.4	Financial Statements and Reporting			
			Yes	No
1	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990: Cash X Accrual Other			4/12/
	If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O.	100		
2a	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?	2a		X
b	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?	2b	X	
С				
	review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant?	2c	X	
	If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O.		6/100	DIE.
d	If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were issued on a			
	consolidated basis, separate basis, or both:			
	X Separate basis Consolidated basis Both consolidated and separate basis			
За	As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit		,0,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	
	Act and OMB Circular A-133?	3a		X
b	If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit			
	or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits.	3b		
		Form	990 (2	2009)

## Schedule D

(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Financial Statements
► Complete if the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, or 12.

➤ Attach to Form 990. ➤ See separate instructions.

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Name of the organization

MINNESOTA FAIR PLAN

Employer identification number 41-0950742

Pa	t I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advise	d Funds or Other Similar Fund	s or Accounts. Complete if the
	organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line		
		(a) Donor advised funds	(b) Funds and other accounts
1	Total number at end of year		
2	Aggregate contributions to (during year)		
3	Aggregate grants from (during year)		
4	Aggregate value at end of year		
5	Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in	writing that the assets held in donor advi	sed funds
	are the organization's property, subject to the organization's	exclusive legal control?	Yes No
6	Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor a		
	for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor of	er donor advisor, or for any other purpose	conferring
	impermissible private benefit?		Yes No
Pa	The state of the s		Part IV, line 7. N/A
1	Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization		
	Preservation of land for public use (e.g., recreation or p	eleasure) Preservation of an his	storically important land area
	Protection of natural habitat	Preservation of a cert	tified historic structure
	Preservation of open space		
2	Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization held a qualif	ied conservation contribution in the form	of a conservation easement on the last
	day of the tax year.		
	<b>-</b>		Held at the End of the Tax Year
a	Total number of conservation easements		2a
b	Total acreage restricted by conservation easements		2b
C	Number of conservation easements on a certified historic str	ucture included in (a)	2c
d	Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired a		
3	Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, rel	eased, extinguished, or terminated by the	e organization during the tax
4	year Number of states when a second in the s		
5	Number of states where property subject to conservation eas		
3	Does the organization have a written policy regarding the per violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it		
6	Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting,	***************************************	Yes No
7	Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, and e		
8	Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) abov		
	and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)?		
9	In Part XIV, describe how the organization reports conservation	on easements in its revenue and expense	e statement and balance sheet and
	include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organizat		
	conservation easements.	ion o manda datomonto trat docombos	the organization a accounting to
Par	t III Organizations Maintaining Collections of	Art, Historical Treasures, or O	ther Similar Assets.
	Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 9		
1a	If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116, not	to report in its revenue statement and b	alance sheet works of art, historical
	treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, ed		
	the footnote to its financial statements that describes these it		
b	If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116, to r	report in its revenue statement and balan	ce sheet works of art, historical treasures,
	or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or		
	these items:		
	(i) Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1	***************************************	<b>&gt;</b> \$
	(ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X		<b>&gt;</b> \$
2	If the organization received or held works of art, historical trea	sures, or other similar assets for financia	I gain, provide
	the following amounts required to be reported under SFAS 11		
а	Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1		<b>&gt;</b> \$
b	Assets included in Form 990, Part X		\$

655,517.

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0.

655,517

1a Land

Total. Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c).)

c Leasehold improvements

d Equipment

2. FIN 48 Footnote. In Part XIV, provide the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that reports the organization's liability for

uncertain tax positions under FIN 48.

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Pa	rt XI Reconciliation of Change in Net Assets from Form 990	to Audited	Financial Sta	atement	
1	Total revenue (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12)		1		5,702,142.
2	Total expenses (Form 990, Part IX, column (A), line 25)		2		5,152,013.
3	Excess or (deficit) for the year. Subtract line 2 from line 1		3		550,129.
4	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments		4		
5	Donated services and use of facilities		5		
6	Investment expenses		6		
7	Prior period adjustments		7	-	
8	Other (Describe in Part XIV.)		8		2,688.
9	Total adjustments (net). Add lines 4 through 8		9		2,688
10	Excess or (deficit) for the year per audited financial statements. Combine lines 3 a	and 9	10		552,817.
Pa	rt XII Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statem	nents With	Revenue per	Return	
1	T-t-law-range and the second state of the seco				5,693,808.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12:			13000000	
а	Net unrealized gains on investments	2a			
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b			
C	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c			
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV.)	2d			
				015000	0
3				. 2e	5,693,808.
	Subtract line 2e from line 1			3	3,033,000.
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1:	1.1		*	
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b		0 77	_	
	Other (Describe in Part XIV.)		8,334	7	0 004
	Add lines 4a and 4b			4c	8,334.
5	Total revenue. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12.)			. 5	5,702,142.
gardens/freezible/post	t XIII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Stater				
1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements			, 1	5,143,679.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25:			10.50	
а	Donated services and use of facilities	2a			
b	Prior year adjustments	2b		1433	
C	Other losses	2c		63333	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV.)	2d	-8,334	1000	
е	Add lines 2a through 2d			2e	-8,334.
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1			3	5,152,013.
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:				
а	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a			
b	Other (Describe in Part XIV.)			888	
	Add lines 4a and 4b	[ 10 ]		4c	0.
_	Total expenses. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18.)		*******************		5,152,013.
	t XIV Supplemental Information	******************		. ] 9 ]	3,132,013.
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	plete this part to provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9; Part 2; Part XI, line 8; Part XII, lines 2d and 4b. Also com				
PAR	T XI, LINE 8 - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS:				
CHA	NGE IN NONADMITTED ASSETS, PER STATUTORY	BASIS F	INANCIAL		
STA	TEMENTS: 2688.	1			
PAR	T XII, LINE 4B - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS:				
INC	OME NETTED AGAINST EXPENSES ON FINANCIAL	STATEME	NT, REPO	RTED	
AT	GROSS ON FORM 990: 8,	334.		Schod	ile D (Form 990) 2009
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PART XIII, LINE 2D - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS:	
INCOME NETTED AGAINST EXPENSES ON FINANCIAL STATEMENT, RE	3PORTED
AT GROSS ON FORM 990: 8,334.	

SCHEDULE 1 (Form 990) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations, Governments, and Individuals in the United States

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 21 or 22.

► Attach to Form 990.

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ê REWARDS FOR INFO. LEADING Employer identification number 41-0950742TO ARRESTS/CONVICTIONS EDUCATION CAMPAIGN & EDUCATION CAMPAIGN & ARSON REWARD PROGRAM-(h) Purpose of grant or assistance UBLIC FIRE SAFETY UBLIC FIRE SAFETY FOR ARSON LOSSES. X Yes recipient that received more than \$5,000. Check this box if no one recipient received more than \$5,000. Use Part IV and Schedule I-1 (Form 990) if additional space is needed Grants and Other Assistance to Governments and Organizations in the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 21, for any CTIVITIES ACTIVITIES Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of the grants or assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection (g) Description of non-cash assistance (f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other) o Ö 0 (e) Amount of assistance non-cash Describe in Part IV the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds in the United States. (d) Amount of 125,000, 50,000 10,000 cash grant (c) IRC section if applicable 41-1247114 501(C)(3) 501(C)(3) 501(C)(6) MINNESOTA FAIR PLAN 41-1888902 41-1322685 General Information on Grants and Assistance (P) EIN criteria used to award the grants or assistance? INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF ARSON 1 (a) Name and address of organization INVESTIGATORS, MN CHAPTER - 8375 COOPER WAY - INVER GROVE HEIGHTS ASSOCIATION - 1433 IDAHO AVENUE MINNESOTA STATE FIRE CHIEFS REGIONS HOSPITAL FOUNDATION WEST - ST. PAUL, MN 55108 640 JACKSON ST. MS11202C or government Name of the organization ST. PAUL, MN 55101 MN 55076-3334 Part

2 Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) and government organizations
3 Enter total number of other organizations

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Part III Grants and Other Assistance to Individuals in the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 22.

Use Part IV and Schedule I-1 (Form 990) if additional space is needed.

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(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Number of recipients	(c) Amount of cash grant	(d) Amount of non- cash assistance	(e) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(f) Description of non-cash assistance
				0 0 0	
Part IV Supplemental Information. Complete this part to provide the information required in Part I, line 2, and any other additional information.	de the information	required in Part I, I	ine 2, and any other	additional information.	- 400
SCHEDULE I, PART I, LINE 2: THE GR	THE GRANT RECIPIENT,	- 1	THROUGH ITS EXECUTIVE	KECUTIVE	
DIRECTOR, AGREES TO PROVIDE AN ACCOUNTING		AT LEAST A	AT LEAST ANNUALLY OF	THE USE OF	
THE FUNDS IN ITS CAMPAIGN PROGRAM.					
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### SCHEDULE O

(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

## **Supplemental Information to Form 990**

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on Form 990 or to provide any additional information.

Attach to Form 990.

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### MINNESOTA FAIR PLAN

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FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 4: THE PRIVATE BOARD MEMBER TERM WAS

EXTENDED TO 2 YRS TO MATCH PUBLIC MEMBER TERMS. ALSO, PROCEDURAL CHANGES

WERE MADE IN THE APPLICATION PROCESS.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 6: "MEMBER" MEANS AN "INSURER" WHICH

IS AUTHORIZED TO WRITE AND IS ENGAGED IN WRITING, WITHIN THIS STATE, ON A

DIRECT BASIS, PROPERTY OR LIABILITY INSURANCE OR ANY COMPONENT THEREOF

CONTAINED IN A MULTIPERIL POLICY, INCLUDING HOMEOWNERS AND COMMERCIAL

MULTIPERIL POLICIES, AND WHO SHALL PARTICIPATE IN THE PLAN AS A CONDITION

OF ITS AUTHORITY TO WRITE SUCH KINDS OF INSURANCE WITHIN THIS STATE.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 7A: THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS ARE ELECTED AT THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE MINNESOTA FAIR PLAN'S MEMBERS.

FIVE (5) PRIVATE BOARD MEMBERS ARE ELECTED BY THE MINNESOTA FAIR PLAN'S

MEMBER COMPANIES. ALL PRIVATE CARRIERS IN THE STATE ARE MEMBERS OF THE MN

FAIR PLAN.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 7B: CHANGES TO THE PLAN OF OPERATION MUST BE APPROVED BY THE COMMISSIONER OF COMMERCE.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 11: THE FORM 990 IS REVIEWED BY THE FAIR PLAN'S ACCOUNTANT AND EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR PRIOR TO FILING WITH THE IRS.

IN ADDITION, A COPY OF FORM 990 WILL BE PROVIDED TO EACH MEMBER OF THE BOARD FOR THEIR REVIEW PRIOR TO FILING WITH THE IRS.

## **SCHEDULE 0**

(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

## **Supplemental Information to Form 990**

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on Form 990 or to provide any additional information.

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FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 15: THE GOVERNING BOARD REVIEWS AND						
APPROVES THE COMPENSATION FOR THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR. A SALARY SURVEY IS						
DONE USING WATSON WYATT INFORMATION. A MERIT PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT IS						
DONE. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR USES THE SAME PROCESS ON THE FAIR PLAN						
MANAGEMENT.						
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION C, LINE 19: THE ORGANIZATION MAKES IT GOVERNING						
DOCUMENTS AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC BY POSTING THEM						
ON THE ORGANIZATION'S WEBSITE AND UPON REQUEST.						
PART XI, LINE 2C						
NO CHANGES TO THE AUDIT OVERSIGHT PROCESS.						

Form **8868** 

(Rev. April 2009)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

# Application for Extension of Time To File an Exempt Organization Return

File a separate application for each return.

OMB No. 1545-1709

-	Find a separate application for each return.				
If you are filing for an Automatic 3-Month Extension, complete only Part I and check this box  If you are filing for an Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension, complete only Part II (on page 2 of this form).  Do not complete Part II unless you have already been granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.					
Automatic 3-Month Extension of Time. Only submit original (no copies needed).  A corporation required to file Form 990-T and requesting an automatic 6-month extension - check this box and complete  Part I only  All other corporations (including 1120-C filers), partnerships, REMICs, and trusts must use Form 7004 to request an extension of time					
to file income tax returns.  Electronic Filing (e-file). Generally, you can electronically file Form 8868 if you want a 3-month automatic extension of time to file one of the returns noted below (6 months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T). However, you cannot file Form 8868 electronically if (1) you want the additional (not automatic) 3-month extension or (2) you file Forms 990-BL, 6069, or 8870, group returns, or a composite or consolidated Form 990-T. Instead, you must submit the fully completed and signed page 2 (Part II) of Form 8868. For more details on the electronic filing of this form, visit www.irs.gov/efile and click on e-file for Charities & Nonprofits.					
Type o	Name of Exempt Organization	Employer identification number			
File by the	MINNESOTA FAIR PLAN	41-0950742			
due date filing your return. Se	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions.  Ning your return. See 1201 MARQUETTE AVENUE, NO. 310				
instruction	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions.  MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55403-4425				
Check type of return to be filed (file a separate application for each return):  X Form 990 Form 990-T (corporation) Form 4720 Form 990-BL Form 990-T (sec. 401(a) or 408(a) trust) Form 5227 Form 990-EZ Form 990-T (trust other than above) Form 6069 Form 990-PF Form 1041-A Form 8870					
THE ORGANIZATION  The books are in the care of   1201 MARQUETTE AV STE 310 - MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55403-4425  Telephone No.   612-338-7584  FAX No.   612-338-4543  If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box  If this is for a Group Return, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN)  If this is for the whole group, check this box  and attach a list with the names and EINs of all members the extension will cover.					
1 I request an automatic 3-month (6-months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T) extension of time until  AUGUST 16, 2010 , to file the exempt organization return for the organization named above. The extension is for the organization's return for:  ► X calendar year 2009 or  ► tax year beginning , and ending  1 I this tax year is for less than 12 months, check reason: I initial return Final return Change in accounting period					
3a If	this application is for Form 990-BL, 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any				
no	onrefundable credits. See instructions.	3a \$			
b if	this application is for Form 990-PF or 990-T, enter any refundable credits and estimated				
c Ba	x payments made. Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit.  alance Due. Subtract line 3b from line 3a. Include your payment with this form, or, if required, eposit with FTD coupon or, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System).	3b \$			
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